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INFO AMCONSUL AMSTERDAM

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRN, NL

SUBJECT: CIVAIR - AMERICAN TRAVELLERS STRANDED AT AMSTERDAM

REF: STATE 155824 AND 172279

1. ONLY SOURCE OF DESIRED INFORMATION IN NETHERLANDS APPEARS TO BE KLM EMPLOYEE WHO WAS INVOLVED IN STRANDEES CASE IN QUESTION AND HAS BEEN ON VACATION SEVERAL WEEKS. WE HAVE BEEN PURSUING QUESTION THROUGH CIVILAIR, WHICH IS APOLOGETIC ABOUT DELAY AND INTERESTED IN MEETING CAB REQUEST. EMPLOYEE EXPECTED TO RETURN MONDAY AND WILL BE CONTACTED.

2. CIVILAIR NOTED THAT INFORMATION MAY BE SPARSE BECAUSE BOTH THEY AND KLM CONCENTRATED DURING INCIDENT ON RESOLUTION OF PROBLEM RATHER THAN COLLECTION OF INFORMATION FOR FOLLOW-UP. CIVILAIR HAS REPORTEDLY TAKEN STEPS TO COLLECT DESIRED DATA IN FUTURE INCIDENTS. AMCONGEN AMSTERDAM WITH EMBASSY CONCURRENCE HAS ALSO PRODUCED FORM CONVEYING DATA TO BE GATHERED WHEN STRANDEES TURN UP IN FUTURE.

3. NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF SOME PASSENGERS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM KLM NEW YORK, NAMELY THOSE WHO SIGNED IOU'S FOR PART OF THEIR REDUCED RETURN FARE AFTER RECEIVING REFUND FROM AMSTERDAM TRAVEL AGENT. IOU'S WERE REPORTEDLY FORWARDED TO NEW YORK OFFICE OF COLLECTION.

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